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Prior application: Examiner S. Catellano (anticipated)Art Unit 3727 (anticipated)

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b), of pending prior application no. 09/363,017 filed on July 29, 1999, which is a continuation of 08/793,751 filed September 12, 1995 as the National Phase of PCT/EP95/03586, now U.S. Patent 5,964,367, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application serial no. 08/283,695 filed August 1, 1994, now U.S. Patent 5,593,060, which is a continuation application of U.S. application serial no. 08/049,722, filed April 20, 1993, now abandoned

of Dietmar Przytulla

(inventor(s) currently of record in prior application)

for LIDDED BARREL

(title of invention)

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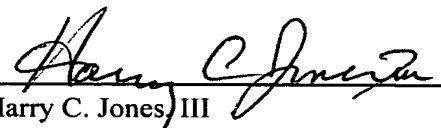
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3. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence:
 This is a continuation, division, of application no. , filed .

- 4a. ☐ Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon the prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
- 4b. ☒ New formal drawings are enclosed.
- 4c. ☐ Informal drawings are enclosed.
- 5a. ☒ Priority of application no. G 94 17 442.3 filed on November 3, 1994; application no. G 94 14 955.0 filed September 15, 1994; and application no. G 42 36 338.1 filed October 28, 1992, all of which have been filed in Germany, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- 5b. ☒ The certified copies of G 94 17 442.3 and G 94 14 955.0 have been filed in prior application no. 08/793,751, now U.S. Patent 5,964,367, and the certified copy of application no. G 42 36 338.1 has been filed in prior application no. 08/049,722, filed April 20, 1993.
6. ☒ Priority of pending prior application no. 09/363,017 filed July 29, 1999, application no. 08/793,751 filed on June 11, 1997, now U.S. Patent 5,964,367, application serial no. 08/283,695 filed August 1, 1994, now U.S. Patent 5,593,060, and application no. 08/049,722, filed April 20, 1993, now abandoned, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.
7. ☒ The prior application serial no. 08/793,751 is assigned of record to Mauser-Werke GmbH on June 11, 1997 at reel 8675, frame 0381.
8. ☒ The Power of Attorney appears in the original papers in the prior application no. 09/363,017, filed July 29, 1999.
10. ☒ Additional enclosures or instructions.

Information Disclosure Statement
Preliminary Remarks

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney Docket No.: 2511-091

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